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Sir:

This is submitted for consideration prior to an initial Office Action on the Continuing Prosecution Application (CPA) filed on September 17, 2001. While Applicants believe that no fees are due at this time, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees, including extension of time fees or other relief as may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1300 (order No. A-63899-1/RFT/JJD).

Please give favorable consideration to the remarks that follow.